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I tinkle the dew bells bright;
I chuck the chin of the dimpled rose
Till she laughs in the stars' dim light.
The glowworm's lamp I hide in the damp,
I steal the wild bee's sting;
I pinch the toad till his legs are a-cramp,
And clip the beetle's wing.
O ho! O hey!
My pranks I play
With never a note of warning.

I set a snare for the moonbeams fair
All wrought of spider web twine;
I tangle the naughty children's hair
In a snarl of rare design.
I flit through the house without any noise,
There's never an elf so sly;
I break the toys of bad little boys
And the cross little girls who cry.
O hey! O ho!
I work them woe.
Till crows the cock in the morning.
—Samuel Minturn Peck in St. Nicholas.

Took Him for a Tree.

Not very long ago the keeper of the wild cattle at Chillingham escaped being injured by them in a way which shows how much may be accomplished by presence of mind. They were being fed, and he in some way had got between them and the bills, when, something having alarmed them, they made one of the mad rushes in which, like Highland cattle, they often indulge. He gave himself up for lost, as he was in the open ground where the two contingents had to meet as they came flying round the paddock. Partly because he was a Scotsman, and resolved to die with "his face to the foe," but still more because he knew flight to be certain death, he folded his arms, drew himself up to his full height, and stood perfectly motionless. He says himself that he expected to be killed, but the cattle, perhaps mistaking him in the dusk for a tree stump or a gate post—to which his gaunt figure bears no slight resemblance—swerved as they approached and scampered past without touching him.—Montreal Star.

No Error.

Young Mr. Hale is one of the people who think it must be the easiest thing in the world to write a book, or at least a poem.

"You have your desk, your paper and pens," said he, hopefully, in discussing the subject of literature with a more experienced friend, "and there you are!"

"Yes," said the friend, dryly, "but you've omitted one implement of the trade which ought to be in the hands of beginners—an eraser, to rub out what they have written. Now take this petition you have just drawn up for the 'Widows' Mite Society.' Look over the paper with me. You haven't explained your object with clearness, and you've repeated the word 'charity' nine times in thirteen lines."

For a moment the ambitious young man looked disturbed, then suddenly his composure returned.

"Oh, well," said he, "I don't consider that repetition a mistake. You can't have too much charity!"—Youth's Companion

Penmanship at the Vatican.

Autotype machines have just been served out for the first time to some of the copying clerks at the Vatican, but they are only to be used for the roughest kind of proof work which has to be done in a hurry. The pope dislikes the innovation, for he is anxious—and right enough—not to break up the admirable penmanship which flourishes at the Vatican. There is no such writing in the world as that which is seen on the documents sent out by the Curia. All the copying clerks of the first rank are priests and monks, and many of them real artists in caligraphy. They are allowed to exercise their fancy in the tracing of illuminated capitals and ornamental rubrics or margins, but there must not be a single erasure on a page which has to be issued in the pope's name. A misplaced comma causes a whole page to be rewritten.—Letter to Glasgow Herald.

Proving Their Sanity.

According to a somewhat dubious tradition, the Greek dramatist, Sophocles, at the age of 90, was accused of imbecility by his son Jophon. He rebutted the calumny by reciting before his judges, the Phratores, the magnificent passage in his tragedy of Œdious Coloneus, which describes the arrival of Œdipus in the sacred forest of Colonna. Having thus vindicated his genius, he retired amid applause. In the Seventeenth century, says Lelanne, the Abbe Cotin, having sold his property in return for a life annuity, was denounced by his relatives as out of his mind. In self defense the abbe invited the commissioners de lunatico inquirendo to come and hear him preach. They went, they listened, and decided in his favor.—All the Year Round.

A New Barometer.

It is nothing more or less than the figure of a general made of ginger bread which Clavette buys every year at the Place du Trone. When he gets home he hangs his purchase on a nail. You know the effect of the atmosphere on ginger bread? The slightest moisture renders it soft; in dry weather, on the contrary, it grows hard and tough. Every morning on going out Clavette asks his servant:

"What does the general say?"

The man forthwith applies his thumb to the figure and replies:

"The general feels flabby about the chest; you'd better take your umbrella."

On the other hand, when the symptoms are "hard and unyielding," our worthy colleague sallies forth in his new hat.—Almanach de l'Atelier.

A Striking Episode.

When the fortune of the White Rose wavered on the bloody field of Towton, the Earl of Warwick, the king maker, in order to kindle the enthusiasm of his soldiers, dismounted from his favorite charger, and stabbed it in the presence of the contending armies. Then, drawing his sword, he kissed the cross at the handle, and said to his men: "Whoever chooses to return home may do so, for I shall live or die this day with such as may like to remain with me!" This striking episode is described with great spirit by Lord Lytton in his romance of the "Last of the Barons."—All the Year Round.

WHEN A MAN IS VERY ILL.

Ben Fantastic Experiences Impress Themselves on His Brain.

Major of Police Moore was so much better yesterday that he was at police headquarters nearly all day. Col. Moore is a very prince of story tellers, and nobody has a keener appreciation of the humorous side of things. He was a very sick man for a week or so, and was delirious for hours. While he was lying in bed he was entertained for hours by the most fascinatingly fantastic series of events he ever heard or read of.

He had to refuse to sanction the president's application for a license to peddle bananas, because he thought the president's breast was so completely covered with badges and decorations that there was no room on it for the badge, the size of a saucer, that licensed hucksters are required to wear. He was very sorry to turn the president down, but his duty was plain The theft of the Washington monument by a party of "Foggy Bottom" rascals also gave him a great deal of uneasiness. He officiated at a balloon ascension, too, and after the balloon rose way up in the air it burst, and from the inside of it sailed, wrong side up, over the blue sky, a full rigged ship with sails all set and filled with wind.

Late one night a long solemn procession of monks came to his bedside. They were fat, jolly old fellows and their faces under their gray cowls were rosy with good things to eat and drink. Their shaved heads were all bowed and on each face was a perfunctory sort of a look of pity. "They came with funeral tread, two by two," the colonel says, "and as each passed by my bed and stopped to wait for the rest at the foot and around on the other side they looked down at me as if to say 'well, old boy,' and I concluded my time was up. There were forty or fifty of them altogether, all as solemn as undertakers.

"Finally, after they were all standing around me, the fattest, rosiest checked one of the lot pushed his way to the front with a censor in his hand. He scratched a match and lit it, and swung it solemnly back and forth. I could see the smoke curl up in little clouds. The old monk swung it closer and closer. I waited for them to chant something. But they didn't, and the old monk kept on swinging his censer, closer and closer. It set fire to my whiskers (the colonel stroked his long, white imperial affectionately), which blazed up furiously, while the fat monks' sides shook with their laughing. Then I realized that it was all a joke, and I remember that I laughed as heartily at it as any of them.

"Another time I thought I was in my office and an old soldier came in and reported that he had lost his wooden leg somewhere on the avenue, and he wanted me to help him find it. I had the lieutenants have all their men look for it, but it was nowhere to be found. A delegation of members of the Grand Army of the Republic called on me about the matter, too. I was worried to death because I couldn't find the old soldier's leg. Why, I was never so worried in my life about anything as I was because I was not able to restore that old soldier's leg.

"I remember going to all sorts of crowded receptions and being called upon by delegations. One was a delegation from St. Louis headed by the mayor.

"I seemed to be standing on a sort of promontory that stuck out into the sea. About ten feet away was another promontory, and the St. Louis delegation seemed to be standing on that. They came across with the mayor at the head. He came up to me and said: 'Col. Moore, let me introduce my fellow rulers of the great city of St. Louis, the members of the common council.' Then the mayor introduced them one by one, and after we had shaken hands all around the mayor said: 'Here is another old friend of mine I want to introduce you to.'

"As he spoke the funniest little man I ever saw stepped forward. He had on a dress coat made of white duck. He didn't wear any vest and he had an old fashioned stock, such as men used to wear years ago, tied closely around his neck. He had on black trousers, three times too big and they were rolled up at the bottoms. His face was weatherbeaten and shaved all over, but for a little fringe of whiskers under his chin. His hair was black and combed forward so that it stuck up over his ears on each side, and the top of his head was entirely bald. He carried one of those old fashioned low bell crowned beaver hats—they went out of style before you were born—and he held it in his hand. The mayor of St. Louis said: 'This is my old friend, Mr. Daniel McGinty, Col. Moore,' and as Mr. McGinty made a very low bow I could see on his bald head the stitches and plasters all over it where the doctors had fixed it up after the fall. It would take me a week to tell you the funny things I saw while I was sick."—Washington Post.

Origin of Different Races.

M. De Quatrefages, the French ethnologist, has made public his conclusions with regard to the origin and distribution of the human race. He says all mankind came from a central mass in northern Asia, and that there were three fundamental types—black, white and yellow. These three types scattered over the world and intermingled, forming, in time, seventy-two distinct races, which is the number now represented on the globe.

De Quatrefages believes that the American Indian came from "a blending of the white and yellow races with a local quarternary race."—St. Louis Republic.

Disinfection of Books.

The Boston board of health have ordered the Public Library card in each family to be stamped, so as to indicate the presence of such a disease there. The library will thereafter decline to allow other books to be taken out on this card until there is no longer danger of contagion. When books are returned from such a locality they will be disinfected.—Herald of Health.

SLANG OF WALL STREET.

A Dialect That Mystifies the Outer World. Some Terms Translated.

"No use gunning in that quarter, I tell you. If you've been caught short best say nothing about it, unless you want to get the razzle dazzle."

These emphatic remarks were made by one of the young guard of Wall street to an acquaintance at the Hoffman house last evening.

"But it's an off market, anyhow."

"Not much it isn't. I've had a pointer, and a couple of days will see things swimming—see if they don't. There won't be a break in P. and O. in a month. But it's going to be quiet. There won't be any twisting about it. It's gilt edge, and the fellows who are in have a clinch on it."

To the uninitiated the dialect of Wall street, of which the language just quoted is a fair example, is one of the marvels of the metropolis.

The panic of 1837, "Black Friday" of 1869 and the great panic of 1873 all contributed heavily to the dialect of the speculative class. After each period of unusual excitement the slang became more pronounced. The greatest contributor of all was the exciting period of the civil war, from which sprung a remarkable list of word coinages that have been a hundred times discussed by the men who were then leaders on 'change. It is impossible to trace the history of Wall street slang without, in a measure, following the history of the street itself.

"A break" in the market—a thing till then unknown—expressed the downward movement where stock had been buoyed up by artificial means; "covering his shorts" described the dilemma of a broker who, on a rising market, bought where he could to protect himself on the day of delivery of his contracts. Brokers who have lost standing or credit by unfortunate speculation came to be known as the "lame ducks" and "snipes" of the street; they were distinguished from the "lambs," who were verdant outsiders who had taken a "flyer" and lost. "Goslings" were the younger brokers who had not got crippled early in the race. "To gun a stock" was to attempt by every possible means to produce a break in that particular security. "Kite flying" was a risky sport indulged in by brokers who had outrun their credit and were attempting to negotiate worthless paper, or to borrow on "wildcat" stock.

"Collateral" was an invention of Drew, and signified anything possessing value in Wall street, and which was given in bond for a loan. A "good delivery" meant that the broker who had undertaken to deliver stocks at a certain time found himself in shape to do so at the proper date; a "bad delivery" was just the reverse. "Hypothecating" a stock was to place it in anybody's hands as security for a loan. "Caught long" is where the market drops and a broker is caught with a falling stock; "caught short" describes the fix of one who has sold ahead and finds the market rising so quickly that he cannot settle except at a heavy loss. "A sick market" is when brokers generally hesitate to buy—an outcome of overspeculation. "A swimming market" is just the reverse. "An off market" is where the public have a downward tendency. To "saddle a market" is to foist a stock upon it which it does not seem willing to take. This is done either by "forcing the quotations"—that is, keeping up the price of a stock, or preventing it from dropping beyond a certain point, until an opportunity arrives to "boom" it. A "drop" is equivalent to a "break."

The "difference," a term which apparently mystifies outside speculators not a little, means the variation in price as between the time of buying and selling, or from the hour the order was given until the sale or purchase is actually accomplished. A "fiat" loan is one that carries no interest; a "jobber" is the street term for an operator in stocks: an operator is "wiped out," clearly a western term, when he is compelled to declare suspension, or is "sold out" under the rules, because of inability to carry out his contracts.

"Watering stocks"—a favorite phrase of Jacob Little, and first used by the great bear—is the process of increasing the quantity, without adding to the value of the stock. "Twisting on the shorts" is when the "shorts" have undersold heavily and the market has been artificially raised in order to compel them to settle at rising rates. "Salting down" stock, to wait for a raise; "loading and unloading," "carrying" stock for a raise, or the purpose of a pool or "clique" (a term borrowed from the Paris and London exchanges), "blocks" of stock, and many other terms are familiar to outsiders. The "ballooning" of a stock by circulating "roorbacks," or favorable stories concerning it is a common practice on the street. When a broker "buys in" stock, he makes purchases in order to meet short contracts, or to enable him to return stock he may have borrowed. "Covering his shorts" means that when stock has been sold, and the market rises, the seller buys where he can and protects himself on the day of delivery.—New York Mail and Express.

Myths Concerning Amputation.

The Chinese, perhaps, show the greatest repugnance to the surgical operation of amputation of all the civilized races of man. It is a remarkable fact, however, that all savage and semi-barbaric races exhibit the same dislike to having any member of the body severed. Many of the Sea Island races willingly die before they will undergo an operation which involves the loss of a limb. It does not seem as if the Chinese show their dislike for having members trimmed on account of fear or pain, it being widely known that as religious fanatics they will undergo any amount of physical suffering; it only seems to be a desire to keep the body intact. If a Chinaman does, as has been known in rare cases, submit to the operation, he will not be satisfied unless the limb be preserved and kept so that he can see it and have it buried with him at death. Cases have been known where amputated limbs have been eaten by their owners.—St. Louis Republic.

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EDITOR

SONOMA, MARCH 29, 1890.

THE COUNTRY NEWSPAPER.

An exchange says: To a country newspaper its advertising space is just as much its stock in trade as its subscription list, and either has a commercial value as important to the proprietor as do the goods on his shelves have to the merchant. A newspaper and the motives that lead to its establishment do not seem to be thoroughly comprehended by the public. The proprietor of every paper, at least outside the large cities, is constantly being importuned for donations. Some one wants a little space, an advertisement, free or for half price. Men who would scorn to ask their neighbors for money or other goods do not hesitate to call upon the newspaper to give him what is not only money to him, but the very soul of business. Charity, herself a suppliant for alms to distribute, makes the first appeal to the newspaper. She begs ten dollars worth of aid from the starveling newspaper to aid her in wrenching fifty cents from the reluctant millionaire. If any public undertaking fails to accomplish what is intended, and the receipts do not equal the expenditures, then the carpenter, the decorator, the merchant, must all be paid in full, but the printer must be scaled down to meet the deficit. It never occurs to these public benefactors that compositors must be paid for setting type, the paper manufacturer for paper, etc. Of course they are very greatful for the newspaper's aid and occasionally vouchsafe it a kind word, but are constantly wondering at the lack of business thrift, and are really surprised that editors don't get rich like other people. The truth is that the newspapers of the country are constantly dispensing more charity than all the millionaires—yes all other kinds of business combined. The people don't know it, but it is nevertheless a fact.

DEATH-DEALING CYCLONE.

A cyclone swept through the business portion of Louisville, Ky., day before yesterday and destroyed everything in its path. It is estimated that fifteen hundred people were buried in the ruins of the falling buildings and lost their lives. At the hour of going to press it is impossible to get full details owing to the destruction of the telegraph wires leading out of the ill-fated city.

-GLEN ELLEN GOSSIP.-

Mrs. J. A. Poppe visited Glen Ellen last Sunday.

A champagne factory is talked of in this vicinity.

Capt. Ward, Agua Caliente's big man, was in town Thursday.

Our annual visitors, the swallows, have made their appearance.

A valuable cow, the property of Chas. J. Poppe, died last Tuesday.

Clear weather has set in and farmers are as happy as clams at high tide.

Chas. Kohler, his mother and sister visited their farm on Sunday last.

We noticed quite a number of Los Guilicos visitors in town yesterday.

H. C. Whiting and other railroad officials were in town Sunday making arrangements for the advent of the big iron horse.

Some of the members of the Racquet Club of San Francisco were up Sunday and will hold their annual picnic here April 13th.

OLD TIMER.

Glen Ellen, March 24, 1890.

For purifying the blood, stimulating the appetite, and invigorating the system in the Spring and early Summer, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is unsurpassed. Be sure and get Ayer's Sarsaparilla and take no other; else the result might be anything but satisfactory.

C. Schilling & Co. of San Francisco have purchased the entire wine cellar of E. G. Fuber of Cloverdale consisting of the vintages of 1888 and 1889. The price paid has not been made public.

The Mechanics' Fair in San Francisco will open August 19th, closing September 27th.

The INDEX-TRIBUNE office is prepared to turn out on short notice all kinds of job printing.

Horse bills printed at this office.

SHELLVILLE SHORT SHOTS.

Jas. Ahern is visiting his father.

Railroad Master Paine was in town Friday.

Work on the new school house is progressing rapidly.

Capt. Hauto and family have returned home from San Francisco.

Miss M. P. Akers is visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Calhoun of Healdsburg.

Mrs. Klevershal and family have returned to their home in San Francisco.

Mrs. Manson and Miss Alice Steadman took a flying trip to Napa Tuesday.

M. P. Akers and Beaurie Spencer visited the Napa Insane Asylum last Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Waugaman, after spending a week at Eden Dale, has returned home.

Miss G. M. Landsborough of Locust Grove spent several days in Sacramento this week.

Mrs. Steadman of this place visited her brother, Capt. P. N. Stofen of Santa Rosa, several days this week.

H. & L. Johannsen have received direct from the East by the Southern Pacific railroad an improved well-boring machine.

Henry Hahman of the firm of Wright & Hahman, Santa Rosa, was in town last Friday. His firm will furnish the new school house.

A GREEN COUNTRY GIRL.

Shellville, March 28, 1890.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY, J.—PROBATE.

Estate of Alfred Fullager—Continued to March 31.

Estate of Daniel M. Kelsey et al., minors—Mrs. Mary Kelsey appointed guardian, bond to each minor $200.

Estate of H. Hardermann—B. Horn appointed administrator, bond $300.

Estate of Richard Kelsey—Account settled and allowed and distribution ordered.

Estate of Richard Comeford—Decree setting aside homestead for use of the family.

Estate of Leonard F. Ellsworth—Sale of personal property confirmed.

Estate of G. Maggetti—Continued two weeks.

Estate of Fred. Koch—Account settled and allowed.

Estate of Simpson P. Taylor—Set for trial for April 3.

Estate of Jane Farrar—Order of submission set aside and hearing continued four weeks.

Estate of Henry Haehl—Order for family allowance of $40 per month from Jan. 1st.

Estate of Jamima J. Wheeler—Decree of final discharge of executor.

Estate of Gustav Landgren—Decree of final discharge.

CRIMINAL AND CIVIL.

People vs. John Guighlimetti—Motion to set aside information filed and set for April 1.

People vs. Andrew Bonino—R. F. Crawford appointed attorney for defendant; defendant arraigned, plea set for March 26th.

In re Alfred Jacobs, Jr., for writ of habaes corpus—Writ denied and defendant remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

People vs. J. H. Neyce—Application for the defendant's release on bail pending an appeal to the Supreme Court denied.

McGovern vs. Johnson—Set for trial on April 29th.

DEPARTMENT TWO—PRESSLEY, J.

In the matter of John P. Graham, an insolvent debtor—Order allowing assignee's account and directing payment of dividend.

C. W. Weaver, administrator, etc., vs. J. A. Harris. Demurrer argued and taken under advisement.

Mary A. Anderson vs. [illegible] Tomblin—Keeper's fees fixed at the rate of $2 50 per horse per month and $10 per month horse for the remainder of the time kept.

In the matter of Albert Praetzel, an insolvent debtor—Order setting aside certain personal property for the use of insolvent.

Lola M. Wilgus vs. W. F. DeForest et al.—Demurrer sustained; ten days to amend.

W. F. DeForest et al. vs. Lola M. Wilgus—No order.

City of Santa Rosa vs. B. Tumley—Default of defendent entered; order for judgment of condemnation for plaintiff and judgment for $1 damages and costs for defendant.

Santa Rosa Bank vs. Ellen McBeth et al.—Default of defendent entered; judgment for plaintiff $5,556; costs and attorney's fees $300; order decree of forclosure of mortgage.

NEW TO-DAY.

Peculiar

Peculiar in combination, proportion, and preparation of ingredients, Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses the curative value of the best known remedies of the vegetable kingdom. **Hood's** Peculiar in its strength and economy, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine of which can truly be said, "One Hundred Doses One Dollar." Peculiar in its medicinal merits, Hood's Sarsaparilla accomplishes cures hitherto unknown, and has won for itself the title of "The greatest blood purifier ever discovered." Peculiar in its "good name at home,"—there is more of Hood's Sarsaparilla sold in Lowell than of all other blood purifiers. Peculiar in its phenomenal record of sales abroad no other preparation ever attained so rapidly nor held so steadfastly the confidence of all classes of people. Peculiar in the brain-work which it represents, Hood's Sarsaparilla combines all the knowledge which modern research and science has developed, with many years practical experience in preparing medicines. Be sure to get only

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Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

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Agua Caliente, March 7, 1890. mr7tf

In the Spring Months

Nature should be assisted when the system is changing from the full habit of the winter months to the lighter diet of the warm season. Nothing does it as well as S. S. S. It stimulates the sluggish blood and rids the system of heaviness and the feeling of languor. If there is poison in the blood, it generally shows itself in the spring, and this is the season to help nature to drive it out and be cured.

S. S. S. Beautifies the skin and makes the complexion rosy and healthy.

S. S. S. Gives elasticity to the step and bouyant spirits.

S. S. S. Makes the feeble and delicate strong and robust.

S. S. S. Is a tonic to the whole body and increases vitality.

S. S. S. Is a simple vegetable medicine, harmless to the most delicate, yet so powerful as to cleanse the system of all impurities.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

SWIFT SPECIFIC Co. Atlanta, Ga.

For Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, and also everything kept in a general merchandising store go to S. Schocken's north side Plaza, Sonoma. *

For Sale—Twenty acres of the finest bottom land in Sonoma Valley for sale at $115 per acre. Inquire at this office.

BORN.

GOESS—In Sonoma, March 25, 1890, to the wife of G. Andrew Goess, a son.

NEW TO-DAY.

FINANCIAL REPORT

—OF THE—

Committee on Right-of-Way.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE SUBscriptions, receipts and expenditures of the Committee to secure the right of way for the proposed extension of the S. F. & N. P. Railway through Sonoma City, a list of the members of said Committee appearing in last week's issue of the INDEX-TRIBUNE:

SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Mrs. Robt. C. Johnson	$ 500 00
S. F. & N. P. Railway Co.	250 00
F. Clewe	150 00
Duhring estate	150 00
Leiding & Wisse	150 00
Catherine Poppe	150 00
Sonoma Valley Bank	85 00
Ed. Wegner	60 00
Henry Weyl	50 00
C. McHarvey	30 00
F. & V. Bulotti	25 00
J. B. Chase	25 00
F. Grothaus	25 00
Lorenzo Modini	25 00
H. H. Davis	20 00
Johanna Fisher	20 00
H. H. Granice	20 00
Lewis Adler	15 00
F. Breitenbach	10 00
N. S. Barnard	10 00
G. H. H. Cornelius	10 00
C. W. Engelbert	10 00
M. A. Flynn	10 00
Julius Fochetti	10 00
T. S. Glaister	10 00
Robt. Howe	10 00
G. S. Harris	10 00
Mary E. McLaughlin	10 00
Amos Mccartney	10 00
Shubrick Norris	10 00
A. Pinelli	10 00
Frank A. Riser	10 00
G. C. P. Sears	10 00
John Tivnen	10 00
B. Toroni	10 00
O. Wagner	10 00
George Breitenbach	5 00
P. Baletti	5 00
[illegible] Batto	5 00
[illegible] Cheney	5 00
B. F. [illegible]pbell	5 00
L. Gianotti	5 00
G. H. Hotz	5 00
L. M. Johannsen	5 00
Luigi Maffi	5 00
M. Muldry	5 00
M. Requile	5 00
O. B. Shaw	5 00
P. H. Thompson	5 00
D. H. Twing	5 00
W. K. Vance	3 00
G. Proletti	2 50
J. Demartini	2 00
B. Banchero	2 00
Swiss Hotel	1 50
D. Marcucci	1 00
Chas. Dalpogetto	1 00
John Minoglio	1 00
Total	$2018 00

Of this amount $1731 has been collected, and $287 yet remains to be collected.

DISBURSEMENTS.

The disbursements of the committee were as follows:

March 1—Paid Mrs. Lewis for right of way	$1000 00
" 5—Paid H. Castagnasso for right of way	250 00
" 18—Paid O Aguilon for depot grounds	450 00
" 22—Paid G. S. Harris for teams	10 00
" 22—Paid expenses of Committee to San Francisco	3 50
" 22—Paid Geo. W. Lewis, personal expenses	1 80
Total	$1715 30

Leaving a balance in the hands of the Committee of $15 70, which amount, with the $287 yet due, making $302 70 when all collected to be expended under the direction Sonoma City Improvement Association in the improvement of the Plaza in Sonoma City.

Respectfully submitted by
ROBERT A. POPPE,
For and on behalf of the Committee.

Notice of Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in pursuance of the order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, made on the 17th day of March, 1890, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Mary M. Ewell, an incompetent person, the undersigned, John Tivnen, the guardian of the said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States, on and after Monday, the 21st day of April, 1890, all the right, title, claim, property and estate of the said Mary M. Ewell, said incompetent, in and to that lot, piece and parcel of land situate, lying and being in the said County of Sonoma, State of California, and bounded and more particularly described as follows, to wit: Lot number five hundred and eighteen (518) in the Pueblo or town of Sonoma, and also the strips of land in said Pueblo situate and lying between said lot No. 518 and lot No. 517, and between lots No. 517 and 518 and lot No. 519.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of purchase money to be paid to the Guardian the day of sale, balance on the confirmation of sale by said Superior Court. Deed at the expense of purchaser. Written offers or bids to be delivered to the undersigned at his residence in the town of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, on and after the day above mentioned.

JOHN TIVNEN,
Guardian of the person and estate of Mary M. Ewell, an incompetent person.
March 29, 1890. td

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness and that is by constitutional treatment. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucus lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucus surfaces.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
☞ Sold by Druggists, 75 cents per bottle.

Be sure and take advantage of the pleasant weather and good roads to invite your wife, daughter or sweetheart for a drive to Agua Caliente Springs where the flowers bloom, the birds sing and the best of refreshments can be procured at any time of the day or any season of the year. *

Mr. A. A. Vallejo, teacher of Spanish and music, has been quite successful in forming classes in this place. Hereafter he will teach in Union Hall every Friday evening. Young ladies who so desire will be taught at the residence of Mrs. Harasztthy.

The Agua Caliente Springs Hotel, having been enlarged and refurnished, is again running under the old management and the proprietor will be pleased to see and entertain all his old friends and as many new ones as may favor him with call. *

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularty purely on their merits. E. Wegner's Drug Store

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cure Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box For sale by E. Wegner, Druggist.

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AND most powerful alterative is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Young and old are alike benefited by its use. For the eruptive diseases peculiar to children nothing else is so effective as this medicine, while its agreeable flavor makes it easy to administer.

"My little boy had large scrofulous ulcers on his neck and throat from which he suffered terribly. Two physicians attended him, but he grew continually worse under their care, and everybody expected he would die. I had heard of the remarkable cures effected by Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and decided to have my boy try it. Shortly after he began to take this medicine, the ulcers commenced healing, and, after using several bottles, he was entirely cured. He is now as healthy and strong as any boy of his age."—William F. Dougherty, Hampton, Va.

"In May last, my youngest child, fourteen months old, began to have sores gather on its head and body. We applied various simple remedies without avail. The sores increased in number and discharged copiously. A physician was called, but the sores continued to multiply until in a few months they nearly covered the child's head and body. At last we began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In a few days a marked change for the better was manifest. The sores assumed a more healthy condition, the discharges were gradually diminished, and finally ceased altogether. The child is livelier, its skin is fresher, and its appetite better than we have observed for months."—Frank M. Griffin, Long Point, Texas.

"The formula of Ayer's Sarsaparilla presents, for chronic diseases of almost every kind, the best remedy known to the medical world."—D. M. Wilson, M. D., Wiggs, Arkansas.

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The Occidental Hotel, under the management of Mr. R. D. Moore and his estimable wife, is growing in popularity every day. †

The Sonoma House is first class. M. A. Flynn, proprietor. *

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Chronic Cases Cured as Readily as Slight Attacks.

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It is known as a painful inflammation affecting the muscles and joints of the human body, the symptoms of which are swelling of the joints, acute pains and aches. St. Jacobs Oil cures promptly and permanently this enemy which is:

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Sandyville, Ohio, June 18, 1886.

Was taken with rheumatism in 1861; suffered at times ever since and used crutches. St. Jacobs Oil relieved me about two years ago. GEO. L. NIXON.

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THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the City of Sonoma, State of California, that on the second Monday in April, to-wit:

On the 14th Day of April, 1890

At the City Hall in said city, an election will be held for the following city officers:

1. For City Trustee.
2. For City Trustee.
3. For City Trustee.
4. For Treasurer.
5. For Clerk and Assessor.
6. For Marshal and Collector.

The polls will be open from sunrise on the morning of said day of election until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

F. BREITENBACH, City Clerk.

CANDIDATE NOTICES.

☞ Candidate announcements for the various city offices inserted under this head for $2.50, payable in advance:

FOR CITY CLERK.

F. BREITENBACH

IS A CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION FOR City Clerk. Election, April 14, 1890.

FOR CITY TRUSTEE.

HENRY WEYL, Sr.

IS A CANDIDATE FOR CITY TRUSTEE AT THE forthcoming election.

FOR CITY TREASURER.

G. H. H. CORNELIUS

ANNOUNCES HIMSELF AS A CANDIDATE for re-election to the office of City Treasurer. Election, April 14, 1890.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

G. W. SPARKS

WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION to the office of City Marshal. Election, April 14, 1890.

FOR CITY TRUSTEE.

CHAS. McHARVEY

ANNOUNCES HIMSELF AS A CANDIDATE FOR re-election to the office of City Trustee at the forthcoming election.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest troubles, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at E. Wegner's drug store.

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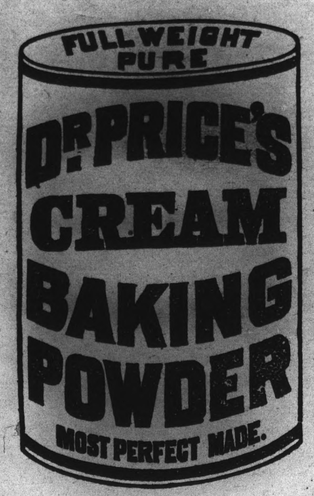

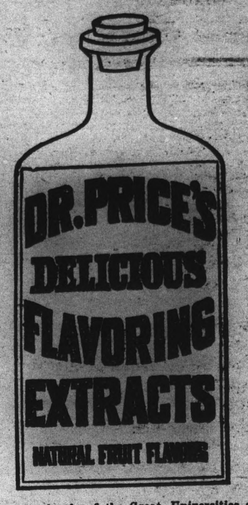

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A general assortment of all kinds of goods kept in stock comprising:

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

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A FULL LINE OF THE FINEST DRESS GOODS

The trade of the country surrounding the town of Sonoma is respectfully solicited.

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SONOMA, MARCH 29, 1890.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Sonoma House is a popular resort. *

The Union Hotel is now open. *

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R. D. Moore of the Occidental keeps a first-class house. +

Go to H. Weyl's for Star flour. The best in the market. *

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The traveling public praise the Occidental Hotel, R. D. Moore proprietor. +

Go to the Sonoma House for first-class accommodations. M. A. Flynn, proprietor. *

The Union Hotel under the management of C. J. Barta is increasing in popularity every day. *

A large steer was run over and killed on the Gen. Vallejo place by the south bound train of the Sonoma Valley railroad Thursday afternoon.

The appraisers of the estate of the late Capt. Drummond held a meeting last Saturday at Dunfillan for the purpose of fixing a value on the property.

The person who took the song "Exile's Lament" from Weyl's Hall on the evening of the 17th inst., will confer a favor on the owner by leaving at this office.

The Sonoma Public school closed yesterday for a two weeks' vacation to enable the teachers to attend the annual session of the Teachers' Institute which convenes in Healdsburg next Monday.

Rev. Bert Jones of Ukiah has been assisting the pastor of the Methodist Church in special services this week. The meetings will continue each evening next week. All are cordially invited to attend.

Attention all! This office is prepared to furnish the latest and best styles of society cards at short notice. Business, visiting and address cards of every description neatly executed at lowest rates.

G. B. Parasso sustained a severe contusion of his leg while alighting from the passenger train of the Sonoma Valley railroad at this place Sunday. His injuries were attended to by Dr. Vance.

The hotels in Sonoma are all crowded and it is almost impossible to accommodate all those who apply for rooms and board. The basalt block business and the broadening of the railroad has caused a large influx of laboring people and others into the town and in consequence everything is lovely and the goose hangs very high in Sonoma at present.

C. H. Baron, a graduate from the Beaux Arts School, Architectural Section, Paris, who was engaged by Hon. T. B. Dibblee of Santa Barbara to paint frescos in his handsome and costly residence, which occupied nearly three years time, is stopping in Sonoma and will receive pupils for instruction in drawing and oil painting at his studio in Union Hall, daily from 1 to 5 P. M.

Jack Hanlon, a grader on the Sonoma Valley railroad, assaulted a fellow laborer named McDonald last Saturday night with a bedpost and beat him in a terrible manner. He was arrested by Marshal Sparks and the following Monday was convicted in Judge Cheney's Court of misdemeanor and sentenced to ten days in the County Jail. His victim was taken to the County Hospital Tuesday and it is thought he will die. The cause of the row was whisky and a vicious temper.

The eldest son of City Treasurer Cornelius had a narrow escape from serious injury last Saturday. He improvised a miniature cannon out of a brass shot-gun shell and mounted it on tin wheels. In true Young America style he then proceeded to load and test his ordnance. At the first trial the gun burst and was shattered into small fragments, several of which struck him on the hand and face and came near destroying the sight of the left eye. His injuries, which are not considered dangerous, were attended to by Dr. Lawrence.

A SECOND ATTEMPT.

Burglars Again Attack the Safe in the Railroad Depot.

At a late hour last Sunday night burglars gained access through a front window into the San Francisco and North Pacific Railway depot in this place and made an attempt to open the safe. They lowered the curtain in front of the window to guard against detection and proceeded in a leisurely manner about their job. A fracture in a lower corner of the safe was effected, sufficiently large to admit the introduction of nitro-glycerine, of which three charges were exploded without forcing the door. This discouraged the cracksmen, who were evidently very green at the business, and breaking the lock on the back door of the office they took their departure. W. L. Crooks, the agent, discovered the condition of the safe early Monday morning and while he and Superintendent W.G. Corbaley were attempting to force the door open with a chisel, a violent explosion occurred, which threw both men to the floor. This explosion was occasioned by a charge of the nitro-glycerine which had been inserted in the safe and had not been touched off. Had the burglars succeeded in opening the safe they would have got nothing for their pains as it contained no money. They left no clew by which their identity could be established, except a small piece of fuse, which was picked up near the door.

A Narrow Escape.

As the down train was leaving the depot last Sunday afternoon, a horse hitched to a cart, the property of P. Monahan, in which a young son of Mr. Monahan was seated, commenced to back from a hitching post in front of S. Schocken's store, where the animal had been tied. The boy did not realize his position and could not stop the horse, which was fast approaching the railroad track. Engineer Lewis comprehending the boy's dangerous position immediately stopped the train, and none too soon, for just as the engine was brought to a standstill the horse and cart collided with it. The boy did not seem to possess sufficient presence of mind to jump and save himself and had it not been for the promptness of engineer Lewis would undoubtedly have lost his life. Bystanders removed the obstinate beast and the train proceeded on its way.

Thieving Tramps.

Sonoma is infested with thieving tramps and their depredations are of daily occurrence. On Thursday night Laux's saloon on the north side of the Plaza was entered and robbed of a quantity of cigarettes and whisky. The money till was completely demolished by the thieves who got nothing for their pains as it contained nothing of value. An entrance was effected through the rear door which was forced with tools stolen from Fochetti's blacksmith shop.

The same evening Engelbert's slaughter house, located in the southern suburbs of town, received a visit from the depredators who purloined half a sheep which had been slaughtered in the afternoon.

The residence of Dr. Lawrence was also entered one day this week and a quantity of bread stolen.

The City Election.

The City Trustees give notice in another column of an election for city officers on Monday, April 14th. The offices to be filled are three Trustees, a Clerk, Treasurer, and Marshal. At the present time only a few aspirants for the various positions have materialized but as the time for the election draws near no doubt the names others will appear in our announcement column, which now contains the names of Henry Weyl and Chas. McHarvey for Trustees, and Messrs. Cornelius, Breitenbach and Sparks for Treasurer, Clerk and Marshal respectively.

The Estate of Henry Winkle.

Henry Winkle, Jr., has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of the late Henry Winkle in Department One of the Superior Court of this county. The estate is valued at $21,000 and embraces the following described property: Ranch of 109 61 acres, near this place, $12,000; thirty outside lots in "Ben Franklin Homestead Association," San Francisco, $2,250; stock in Spring Valley Homestead Association, $2,000; wine in cellar at Sonoma, about 30,000 gallons, $3,000; household furniture and stock, $650; cooperage, $1,200.

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-PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.-

Mrs. D. Church is convalescing after a severe spell of sickness.

Mrs. Sarah Santamon has been very ill but is now convalescing.

M. A. Flynn and family visited San Francisco several days this week.

Mrs. S. Schocken of San Francisco is visiting her home in Sonoma.

Miss Mamie Rogers of San Francisco is visiting her parents at this place.

Rev. J. E. Bailey spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in San Francisco.

Mrs. F. D Spaulding of San Francisco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Church.

Dr. W. K. Vance and Fred Lyon spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in Oakland.

Adolph Robin of San Francisco has besn spending the week with his Sonoma friends.

Wm. Denning is down from the northern mines visiting his step-mother, Mrs. R. Sneed.

Misses Mamie and Mattie Little of San Francisco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Carr.

Ben. Pohli has returned to his home in this place after a several months absence in Ukiah.

The engagement of Miss Eva Sydnor of this place and Walter Rideout of San Francisco is announced.

C. O. Borman of Glen Ellen was a guest at the Baldwin Hotel, San Francisco, several days this week.

Mrs. Fannie McG. Martin, County Superintendent of Schools, visited Petaluma Monday on official business.

Wm. Currier, a prominent merchant of Portland, Oregon, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shubrick Norris several days this week.

On Friday of last week the venerable Judge D. O. Shattuck of Willow Ranch celebrated the 90th anniversary of his birthday.

Misses Mattie and Frankie Shattuck and H. Ellsworth and wife of Petaluma were guests of Judge D. O. Shattuck last Sunday.

Miss Grace Shaw returned to her home near this place last Tuesday evening after several days visit with friends in the metropolis.

E. E. Oulewey, the gentlemanly foreman of the Kohler & Frohling vineyards and wine cellars, Glen Ellen, was in town last Saturday.

E. H. Hamilton, who has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. H. E. Boyes for the past two years, left for his home in England last Tuesday.

Grace Trudgen, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trudgen, is confined to her bed with diphtheria. At the present time no danger is apprehended.

Miss Carrie Roesch, Grand President of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, will pay Juanita Parlor No. 20, an official visit next Tuesday. Miss Roesch, during her stay in Sonoma, will be the guest of Mrs. H. H. Granice.

The Entre Nous Club will give a "rag masquerade invitation" party at Union Hall on Friday evening, April 11th. No one will be admitted in dominos, the regulation costume will be masks and old clothes. The party will be the final one of the Club after which it will cease to exist.

At a special election for Noble Grand and Vice Grand of Sonoma Lodge, No. 28, I. O. O. F., held last Saturday evening, M. F. Turley was elected to the former position and John Reve to the latter. The vacancies were occasioned by the removal of Brothers John Johnson and P. Johnson to Spokane Falls, Washington.

Miss Bertie Sydnor of this place and Geo. Porter of Kansas will be married to-morrow (Sunday) at the residence of Miss S's step-father, John Tivnen. Mr. Porter is well-known in this valley, having resided here several years. He arrived in Sonoma on Friday of last week from Kansas, where the young couple will take up their residence.

The Watson Debating Society.

President Mary Burk called the Watson Literary and Debating Society to order in the school house yesterday afternoon, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The following programme was then carried out: Declamation, Miss Effie McCaskie; declamation, "Liberty and Union," Henry Carriger; reading, "Gone With a Handsome Man," Prof. Jas. R. Watson; reading, "How We Hunted a Mouse," Miss Florence Campbell. Then followed a debate on the question, "Resolved, That it would be to the best interests of the United States to discourage foreign immigration." Those who argued for the affirmative were Oscar Smythe and Anabel McDonnell, while Misses Margaret Burke and Rue Tate argued the negative. The question was decided by the scholars in favor of the affirmative.

A Liberal Donation of Right of Way.

The citizens of Sonoma, and particularly those who assumed the responsibility of securing the right of way through Sonoma for the broad guage road, very gratefully acknowledge the gift of Archbishop Riordan for free right of way through the Catholic Church property situated in the eastern portion of town. The gift ought not to be forgotten by the people of Sonoma.

McGINTY.

He Reports a Scarcity of Labor in Sonoma Valley.

Fruit Drier and Cannery Wanted---Monument to Gen. Vallejo---Minor Notes.

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NOTES.

It is reported that the good people of South Los Guilicos are soon to have a butcher shop.

Major John Kearney, the very efficient deputy Roadmaster, is doing good work in rebuilding the roads. Keep up the good work, Johnnie, the people are with you.

It is proposed to remove the Summit Joint School House to a beautiful grove near the headwaters of Nunn's Canyon, that the patrons of the district may be better accommodated.

Charley Crofoot of Glen Ellen loaned his fine road cart to a party this week with the result that the driver ran into McGinty or something else and smashed the vehicle into smithereens. Charley walks now.

Will your popular townsman Johnnie Tivnen build a brick block on his corner lot? Start the ball rolling and other brick blocks will follow. That's the way to advertise a town and build up real estate values. There is no part of the State that has so many elegant residences as Sonoma Valley. Let our lovely town join the ranks of improvement and keep pace with the valley.

STATUE TO GEN. VALLEJO.

A monument to Gen. Vallejo should be erected in the center of the Plaza in the town of Sonoma, the place that was so dear to the departed old hero. He was noble, grand, brave and generous. The grandest of his race! His soul was full of love. The people should perpetuate his memory by rearing an imposing statue. Who will start the movement? Let us call a meeting and appoint a committee to devise ways and means to complete the work.

SCARCITY OF FARM LABOR.

It only costs *one dollar* to ride from San Francisco to Sonoma and yet it is claimed that thousands are walking the streets of the metropolis seeking employment to earn their daily bread. It is next to impossible to hire a good man in Sonoma Valley. It is passing strange that men will go hungry in the city, while farmers here cannot find laborers to cultivate their crops. Nevertheless such is the case. I met one farmer this week who wanted ten or twelve men to chop wood, team, plow and prune vineyards. I talked with several who wanted two milkers and a cheese and butter-maker. Sober and industrious men can always find employment in this section.

FRUIT DRIER AND CANNERY.

There are a great many orchards in Sonoma Valley. Each year I have observed thousands of bushels of fruit rotting on the ground. Will each fruit-grower furnish to McGinty a statement of the number of pounds of fruit, naming variety or kind, that he could and would sell to a drier and canning company. I will then be enabled to show capitalists what we produce as an inducement to engage in the enterprise. Please address statement in care of INDEX-TRIBUNE to

McGinty

Sonoma Valley, March 25, 1890.

Report of the Right-of-Way Committee.

In another column will be found a report submitted by R. A. Poppe of the receipts and disbursements of the Committee on Right of Way, who assumed the obligation of securing for this valley the right of way through Sonoma and its suburbs of a broad guage railroad. The report will show that the committee has succeeded in doing a great deal with a very small amount of money. This result has been brought about to a certain extent by the liberality of some of the land owners over whose premises the road runs and to the efforts of the committee who worked very hard to make a success of an undertaking having for its purpose the future prosperity of the town. The names of the committee who assumed this obligation and those who helped them out with money and rights-of-way should always be remembered as progressive people and friends of Sonoma.

Golden Gate Parlor No. 29, and Rincon Parlor No. 72, N. S. G. W., of San Francisco will jointly have a picnic at Glen Ellen on July 4th.

South Los Guilicos Squibs.

Everybody is busy plowing.

J. W. Culver is on the sick list.

A. Westrup has built an addition to his house.

Henry Patten made a flying visit to his mother this week.

C. W. White of Santa Rosa was in town one day this week.

Mayor Smith of Santa Rosa passed through town Thursday.

Mr. Behler has plowed his lot preparatoy to planting potatoes.

H. B. Carpenter and W. M. Gilcrest went to Oakland Wednesday.

Ed. Bently commenced the erection of the new school house Monday.

Mayor Staley's brother, who lives in Oregon, is thinking of moving to Sonoma county soon.

Mrs. H. L. Luttrell and John L. Sullivan Luttrell started for Red Bluff this morning.

If there was less figuring and more work done people would believe the road would come.

Hazen Cheney's brother was in town several days this week visiting friends and relatives.

Wells Fargo & Co.'s route agent, G. B. Crandell, was in town this week looking after the interests of the company here.

Rev. A. Drahms of Shellville has been in town this week trying an experiment by endeavoring to make grape vines grow in bedrock.

We learn that Chas. Poppe lost his fine red cow that gave birth to a black calf and also gave white milk. Wonders cease sometimes, Charley.

Engineer Zook and Road Master Kelsey of the Donahue system were in town this week looking over the proposed route of the Sonsma Valley extension from Glen Ellen to this place.

A GREEN COUNTRY BOY.

South Los Guilicos, March 28, 1890.

Painful Accident.

Luigi Bazaglia, an Italian block-maker employed in the quarries back of the Gen. Vallejo place, had his left foot badly crushed Thursday afternoon by a large rock rolling upon it. Dr. Vance in order to save the man's foot amputated three of the toes.

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The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

C. Henry Baron, an artist of no mean ability, is a guest at the Union Hotel. During his sojourn in Sonoma he will form a class and give lessons in painting. He has several rural sketches on exhibition in his studio in Union Hall which are really meritorious.

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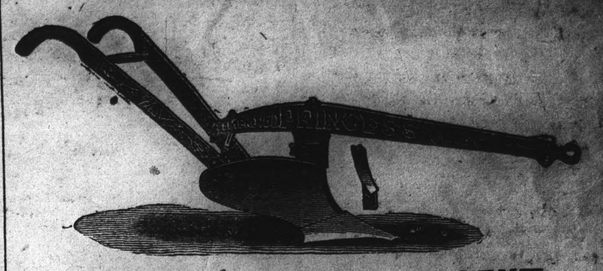

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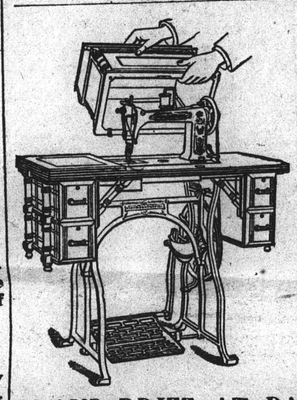

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SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1890.

VANDALS AT WASHINGTON

RELIC HUNTERS DESTROYING NATIONAL MONUMENTS.

Outrages Often Inspired by Malicious Mischief—The Fiendish Fiend Gets in His Work—Damage Amounting to Over a Million Dollars.

Vandalism by relic hunters and malicious persons who visit Washington has been carried to such a destructive point that measures of exceptional severity are to be adopted by the department of public buildings and grounds to restrain the evil. The damage that has been wantonly done in this way within the last ten years would, if reduced to dollars and cents, mount up to a frightful aggregate. Many who are in a good position to judge say that it would cost $1,000,000 to repair only such injuries as are actually visible to the casual observer.

To begin with, as you enter the rotunda of the Capitol from the east front, you observe that the beautiful bronze doors, fac-similes of the Ghiberti doors at the baptistry in Florence, have been badly chewed up by iconoclastic visitors. These doors cost the United States government $28,500. At present they would not be worth anything like that amount. The figures on the panels, representing historical scenes, stand out in high relief, and somebody has found no difficulty in wrenching away the sword that Henry VII of England formerly held in his hand. Columbus has lost the reins of the animal he is riding, and his brother Bartholomew has also been deprived of his sword. Balboa's sword has been all bent out of shape by some one who was, presumably, interrupted in an attempt to twist it off.

Two luckless monarchs, King John II of Portugal and King Charles VIII, have both been robbed of their scepters, of which they now retain only the stumps. Just examples these are of the mischief done to these beautiful gates of bronze. To commit them must have required exceptional nerve, situated, as the doors are, immediately outside the rotunda, where there is always a man on guard. It is this latter fact that is accountable for the fortunate circumstance that no damage whatever has been done within the rotunda itself.

Save for the watch kept, the great historical pictures there would have been all cut to pieces long ago. The heads of the Father of his Country and other respectable characters of American antiquity would have been sliced out of the canvases, merely to begin with. For nothing is sacred to the relic hunter; he will not hesitate to cabbage a red hot stove, if opportunity offers.

On the right hand side of the Ghiberti doors, as you go in, is a superb colossal statue of Mars, the god of war. A vandal visitor unknown broke the end of his marble sword off, probably by reaching over the railing and giving it a sharp bang with a heavy stick. The "busted" portion has been stuck on again with glue or something, but the effect is unsightly. On the other side of the doors is a corresponding statue of Ceres, the goddess of the crops. Her left hand was smashed off a while ago, and so a bunch of marble olives has been placed in her grasp to hide the break. Outrages like these, of course, are often inspired by malicious mischief, pure and simple. But the case is rare of an individual who will destroy property in cold blood, just for the sake of destroying. The bulk of the vandalism is committed by relic hunters—people without souls, savages of civilization, who will not hesitate to wipe out in five minutes as much value as the labor of their lifetime will produce for the sake of procuring half a dozen worthless memorabilia.

Such are the persons, doubtless, who have attacked the magnificent bronze doors of the east senate front—original cost, $56,000—on which are depicted in relief scenes in American history. The guns of the soldiers at Yorktown have been wrenched off—those of them that were sufficiently in alto relievo to make it possible—and the reins of Washington's horse, on his journey through Trenton, have disappeared; also the gun in the hands of the woman who looks on upon the combat between the Jersey farmer and the Hessian has lost its barrel.

The president's room has suffered many times, not only from relic hunters, but also from malicious destroyers. The relic hunters have confined themselves here chiefly to cutting the silken tassels from the chairs, though now and then they have sliced a piece out of the handsome red leather coverings of the sofas, and occasionally a strip has been cut off one corner of the costly carpet, made especially to fit the room, just to remember the place by afterward. Tassels, however, are the favorite spoil.

The guard ventured out of the room for less than two minutes one day, and when he came back three tassels were gone glimmering. On an average, the equivalent of a full set of new tassels has to be put on the chairs each year to replace those carried away. Beyond a doubt this room is the handsomest on the American continent. Curiously enough, it is occupied for only one hour in every twelve months. The president always spends the last sixty minutes in it before Congress adjourns the session, so that he may sign bills up to the very stroke of 12 o'clock and save them from becoming void.

Nothing that money could do to make the apartment gorgeous has been left undone, and its more than palatial splendors appear to tempt the destroyers for mischief's sake. At all events the sofas have been repeatedly ripped from end to end with knives, and other such wanton acts of malice have been committed.

The chief damage done in the statuary room at the Capitol is in the shape of lead pencil writings. Potomac marble, in which the great pillars are formed, is a grayish effect, with light colored spots all over it. These spots afford tempting opportunities for scribblers, who delight in writing their names on them, with various remarks on every conceivable subject. The pillars as far up as the hand can reach, are fairly covered with these graffiti.—Washington Cor. St. Louis Globe Democrat.

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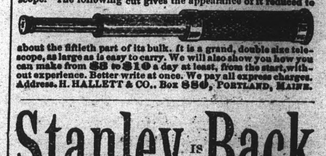

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